

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
DANIEL JOHN LLOYD-JONES, et al. ) : Examiner: David Faber  
Application No.: 09/826,935 ) : Group Art Unit: 2178  
Filed: April 6, 2001 ) :  
For: A METHOD OF )  
ANNOTATING AN IMAGE : January 29, 2008

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to further examination of the above-identified application for which a Request for Continued Examination is being filed concurrently herewith, and in response to the final Office Action dated October 29, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows: